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Title: DISTORTION FREE LASER WELDED FLUID BEARING DESIGN

Enclosed are also:

- ☒ 7 Sheets of drawings, Formal __, Informal **XX**
- ☐ An Assignment of the invention to:
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- ☒ [Unsigned] Declaration for Patent Application
- ☐ Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(I)
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. 1.27.

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